

Library Cards

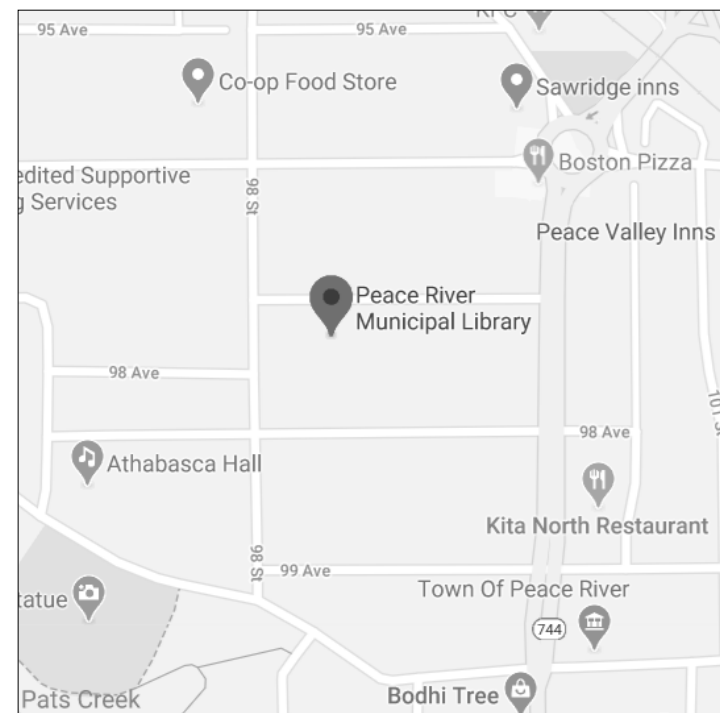
Library cards must be renewed annually.

Adult/Teen.....	\$15
Family.....	\$15
Senior.....	Free
Replacement Card.....	\$6

- ♦ Government issued ID and proof of current address are required.
- ♦ Card fees may be waived at the discretion of the Library Director or designate; proof of financial hardship may be required.

Fines:

- ♦ A/V material returned in book drop—\$2
- ♦ Lost and damaged items—replacement cost
- ♦ Repairable damage—\$2



Office Services

Printing and Photocopying costs:

	Single Sided	Double Sided
B&W Letter (8.5 x 11).....	0.25	0.45
B&W Legal (8.5 x 14).....	0.35	0.65
B&W Poster (11 x 17).....	0.50	1.00
Colour (any size).....	1.00	1.95

Scan to email:

Per file sent to email address.....1.00

*On scanning glass = same as printing + 0.50 per page

Fax currently unavailable.

Computers & Internet

Public access computers are available. Ninety minute sessions are available by drop in. If you require more than ninety minutes, please book ahead of time by calling 780-624-4076.

You do not need to have a library card to use the public computers.

Free Wi-Fi is also available. Ask at the circulation desk for login information.

Exam Proctoring

If you need to write an exam for distance education, we offer proctoring. There is a fee of \$40 for this service. Please contact the Library two weeks or more before the exam date to book your appointment.

Contact: librarytech@prmlibrary.ab.ca or phone 780-624-4076.

Library News

PEACE RIVER MUNICIPAL LIBRARY

9807—97 Ave. Peace River, AB. T8S 1H6

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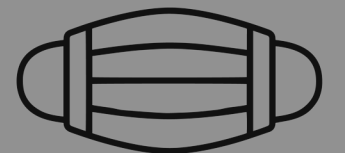
DECEMBER 2021

The Day Before Christmas at the Library

T'was the night before Christmas and all through the Library,
You'd think it was quiet, but alas quite the contrary.
The books were all placed on the shelves with great care,
In hopes that the patrons would soon be right there.
Children were colouring and decorating the tree,
Parents were smiling, as happy as could be.
Picture books were flying away out the door,
To little ones' bedtimes and oh, so much more.
Now behind the circ desk there arose such a clatter,
We rushed to the counter to see what was the matter!
There stood a wee woman, dressed all in grey.
Her hair was pulled back. She was ready to play.
She wore an old comfy sweater and sensible shoes,
And glasses on chains for reading the news.
The Librarian was here to spread festive cheer!
(She had a quota to meet by the end of the year.)
She clapped her hands twice and went straight to her work,
She had stories for everyone, but paused with a jerk.
"Now Sendak, now Munsch, now Carroll, and Barrie,
On Potter, on Milne, on Suess, Blume, and Cleary!
From these shelves to these arms and book bags so merry.
Let's see smiles oh so sweet, like a ripe Christmas berry!"
She called on the stories who knew her so well
And jumped into service like the ring of a bell.
How she smiled and she danced (for a woman her age)
To the beep of a scanner and the turn of a page.
As the crowd slowly thinned and moved out of sight,
She called, "Happy Reading to all! And to all a good night!"

- Your Friendly Neighbourhood Library Tech

WE'RE OPEN!



**FACE MASKS
REQUIRED AGES 3+.**
Limit 30 patrons.
**Proof of vaccine
not required.**

Hours of Operation

Tuesday: 10am to 5pm
Wednesday: 10am to 8pm
Thursday: 10am to 8pm
Friday: 10am to 5pm
Saturday: 10am to 5pm

**Grab & Go also available by
appointment.**

See calendar for Holiday Hours.

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REGULAR PROGRAMS

Virtual Story Time:

Fridays at 10:30am. Join us for this popular program for preschoolers and their grown ups. Please register by November 30th at www.prmlibrary.ab.ca/Programs and Events to receive your at home activities kit and a Zoom link.



Tinker Team:

Wednesdays from 3:45 to 5:00pm. Explore, discover, create, and play, with Louis as your guide. For children 7 to 12 years old. Register online at www.prmlibrary.ab.ca/Programs and Events. (COVID-19 precautions in place.)



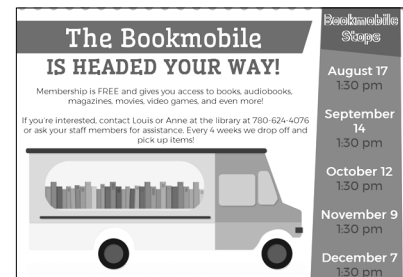
Club Meeples:

Thursdays from 3:45 to 5:00pm. It's game time! Annette will be your guide through the wonderful world of games. For children 7 to 12 years old. Register online at www.prmlibrary.ab.ca/Programs and Events. (COVID-19 precautions in place.)



Bookmobile:

Tuesday, December 7th at 1:30pm and 2pm. Anne will be dropping off items for registered residents of Heritage Tower at 1:30 and Points West at 2:00. (Approximately)



BOOKMOBILE SERVICES

BOOKMOBILE Homebound Service

New!

Bookmobile Homebound Service allows patrons living in Peace River who are medically homebound free, monthly delivery of Peace River Municipal Library's collection and resources.

Bookmobile | Every four weeks

How does it work?

Bookmobile homebound service provides door-to-door delivery & pick-up of library books, DVDs, and other material. Packages are delivered to patrons' doorsteps checked-out and ready to enjoy. Return materials are collected in the same service visit.

Who is it for?

This program is for patrons who have mobility or health issues that prevent them from being able to access the library on a regular basis. Separate Bookmobile service is available to patrons at Heritage Towers & Points West Living. This program is not for patrons who are temporarily at home.



Dates: Aug 19, Sept 16, & Oct 14, 2021

To sign up or for questions, please call and ask for Anne or Louis.

Bookmobile: Homebound Service—Next date: December 9, 2021.

This service runs every four weeks and is available to patrons living in the Town of Peace River who are medically homebound.



Bookmobile Service to Points West and Heritage Tower—Next date: December 7, 2021.

This service is available to residents of Heritage Tower and Points West who are unable to visit the library themselves.

Points West

The Bookmobile IS HEADED YOUR WAY!

Membership is FREE and gives you access to books, audiobooks, magazines, movies, video games, and even more!

If you're interested, contact Louis or Anne at the library at 780-624-4076 or ask your staff members for assistance. Every 4 weeks we drop off and pick up items!



Heritage Tower

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Bookmobile Stops

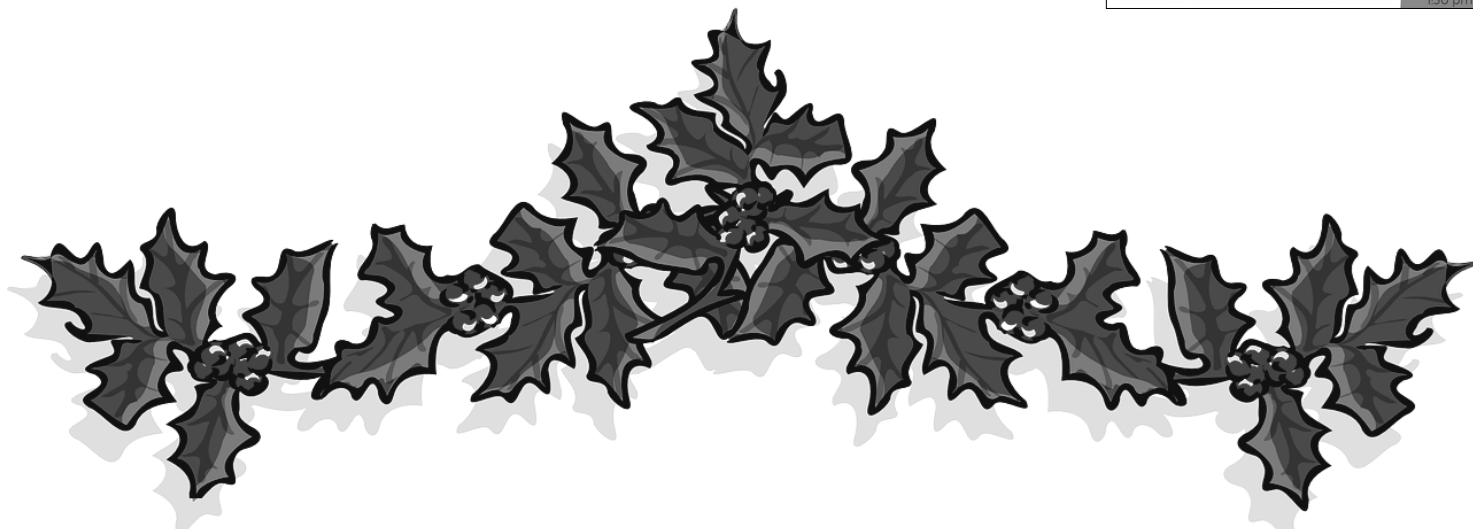
August 17
1:30 pm

September 14
1:30 pm

October 12
1:30 pm

November 9
1:30 pm

December 7
1:30 pm



Valley Peacemakers Quilt Guild:
Wrapped in Comfort—November 12th to December 8th

The Valley Peacemakers are back for their annual fibre arts show. These local quilters have been busy this year and can't wait to show you what they have accomplished.



Wrapped In Comfort

Annual Valley Peacemakers Quilt Guild Exhibit

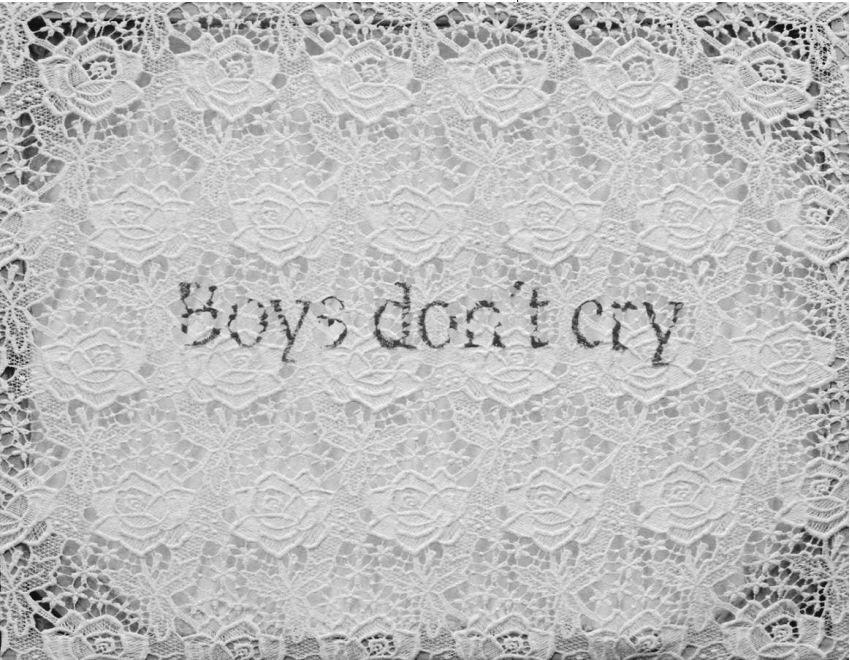
Quilt exhibit on display
November 12 - December 8

Quilt making demonstration
November 17 at 6:30 pm



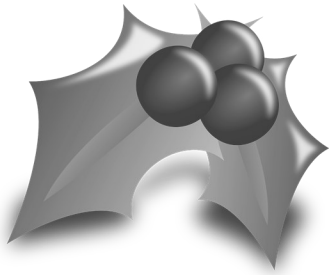
TREX Exhibit: *The Male Gaze*—December 16th to January 19th

“In feminist theory the phrase ‘the male gaze’ refers to the act of depicting women in the visual arts and literature from a masculine, heterosexual perspective that presents women as objects for the pleasure of the male viewer. The Alberta Foundation for the Arts travelling exhibition *The Male Gaze* disrupts this performance by presenting the work of three male artists from Edmonton who investigate male subjects and concerns as themes in their work; exploring concepts of gender and what it means or could mean to be ‘a man’ in the 21st century. Examining stereotypes and changing social landscapes these artists invite viewers to consider and question the character and roles of men in society through both the lens of history and in the present day.”



- The Alberta Foundation for the Arts

DECEMBER 2021



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
			3:45 to 5pm— Tinker Team	3:45 to 5pm— Club Meeples 5:30 to 7:30pm— Affirmation Calendar Virtual Event	10:30am—Virtual Story Time	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		1:30pm— Bookmobile (HT & PW)	3:45 to 5pm— Tinker Team	3:45 to 5pm—Club Meeples 5:30 to 7:30pm— Affirmation Calendar Virtual Event 6pm—Library Board Mtg.	10:30am—Virtual Story Time Deadline to register for Cinema Take Home Kits	4 to 7pm—Lights at the Library
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
			3:45 to 5pm— Tinker Team	3:45 to 5pm— Club Meeples New Art Show: TREX— <i>The Male Gaze</i>	10:30am—Virtual Story Time	
Create-An-Ornament Pick Up						
Cinema Take Home Kit Pick Up						
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
		Open 10:00 to 5:00	Open 10:00 to 8:00	Open 10:00 to 8:00	Closed for the Holidays	
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
		Open 12:00 to 4:00	Open 12:00 to 4:00	Open 12:00 to 4:00	Closed for the Holidays	

SPECIAL EVENTS

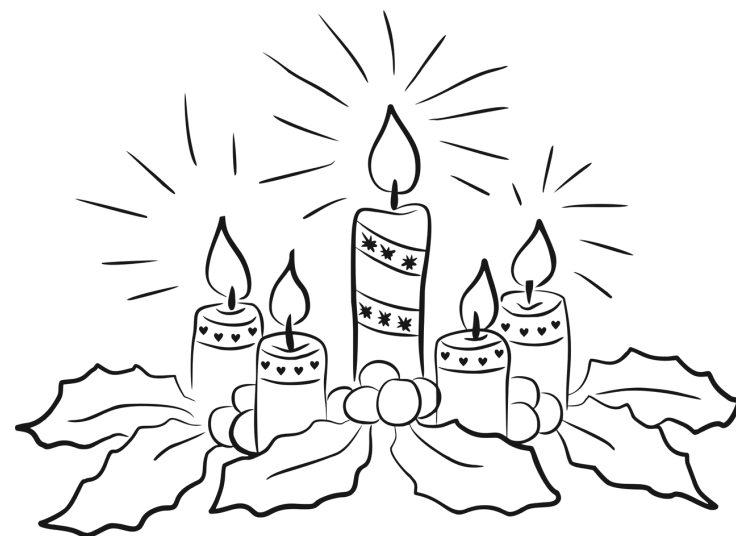
Christmas Cinema Take Home: **December 14th to 18th.** Choose from three holiday themes: *Christmas Cuties* (G to PG), *Warm Winter Wishes* (PG to PG14), or *Ho Ho Ho! Laughing all the way* (PG to R). You get three movies from our library collection signed out on your library card and treats to enjoy with your movies (substitutions may not be available). Register at www.prmlibrary.ab.ca/programs and events by December 10th. Pick up from December 14th to 18th.



Create-An-Ornament: **December 14th to 18th.** Everything you need to make an ornament. Choose between Easy (Kids) or Hard (Adult). Register at www.prmlibrary.ab.ca/programs-and-events. Pick up between December 14th and 18th.



Lights at the Library: **Saturday, December 11th from 4 to 7pm.** Take a stroll through a festive lit trail and say hello to special holiday guests. Drop in anytime between 4:00 and 7:00pm.



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

CELEBRATING 10 YEARS OF Service

Congratulations to Beverly Shewchuk on her 10-year anniversary with the Peace River Municipal Library! Your friendly neighborhood library technician joined the library team in October of 2011. She has helped countless patrons and carefully selected the materials that make our library collection. Bev, we are proud to have you on our team and we appreciate all that you do. Our best wishes to you on this momentous achievement.

-Channing Stenhouse, Library Director



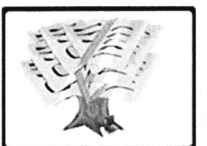
Are you a Community Leader?

BECOME A LIBRARY TRUSTEE

The Town of Peace River Library Board (TPRLB) is seeking new members. Library Trustees are the leaders of the library. They are board members who help set the goals and policies of the Peace River Municipal Library & Art Gallery. Trustees are essential advocates for the success of the library and the Peace Region that we serve.

The TPRLB meets on the second Thursday of each month, from 6:00-8:00 pm, September through June. Trustees may also serve on sub-committees that may meet for special projects or to address special issues.

To join the TPRLB, an application (found here: <https://www.prmlibrary.ab.ca/About-Us/Board-of-Trustees>) can be submit to board@prmlibrary.ab.ca or a copy can be dropped off at the library. Applications are accepted year-round.



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